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Mr. H. C. Papworth: The University is an independent body entitled to manage its own affairs.

Appointments made in the University.

102. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan:** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the new appointments made in the University from Chingom 1119 to Medom 1120?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: Appointments in the University are in the hands of an independent statutory body.

Appointments in the University.

103. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan -** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement of persons newly appointed in the University from 1119 beginning to end of Medom 1120; and state how many from the backward communities have been appointed during the above period?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: The University in an independent statutory body not under the day to day control of Government as to appointments etc.

University Registrar.

104. ***Mr. K. C. Chandy (Thodupuzha cum Meenachil):** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the salary that was given to the present Registrar of University when he was first appointed as Registrar and the salary he is now allowed under the revised scales of pay in the University;

(b) the number of times his salary was revised during the tenure of his office as Registrar and the details of such revision of salary showing the dates and the amounts by which his salary was revised each time.

(c) the special reasons, if any, why such revisions were allowed in his case;

(d) the academic qualifications of the present Registrar; and

(e) the date of and the post to which he was first appointed in service and the salary he was paid at that time?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: The University is an incorporated and independent institution entitled to manage its internal affairs.

Mr. K. C. Chandy: My question was for some information regarding appointments in the University. The answer is that the University is an incorporated and independent institution. Am I to understand from this answer that this House is not entitled to get the information at least?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: The answer is that the University is an incorporated and independent institution entitled to manage its own affairs under the Act. The internal affairs of the University cannot be dealt with here. It is constituted under an Act and presumably from this answer its appointments are not open to discussion here.

Mr. K. G. Kunjukrishna Pillai: Sir, with regard to this question a ruling has been given by the Chair. So, further attempts on getting information with regard to the appointments made in the University are not in order. It has been ruled like that by the Chair and I will place that ruling before the House, if necessary.

Assistant Registrar in the Travancore University.

105. ***Mr. A. N. Satyanesan:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the appointment of an Assistant Registrar of the Travancore University is under their consideration; and
- (b) if the answer is in the affirmative, to state the nature of the emergency for such an appointment?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: The University is entitled to conduct its own affairs.

Assistant Registrar of University.

106. ***Mr. K. C. Chandy:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

- (a) whether recommendation for the appointment of an Assistant Registrar of University has been made to them by the Pro-Vice Chancellor and if so, the same was sanctioned;
- (b) the reasons on which such recommendation, if any, was made and the salary attached to the proposed post;
- (c) whether it is a fact that a certain individual is now being trained by the present Registrar for the said post, and if so, on what authority; and
- (d) the present post held by the said individual in the University and the salary he is now getting and the academical qualifications possessed by him?

Mr. H. C. Papworth: The University is an incorporated and independent institution entitled to manage its internal affairs.